Centrally Sponsored Schemes for Orissa

2155. SHRI BASANT KUMAR DAS: Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total amount of allocation made to Koraput, Bolangir and Kalahandi districts in Orissa under various Central Government sponsored schemes from the year 1993-94 to 1995-96, yearwise and district wise;

(b) whether the allocated amount has been fully utilised; and

(c) if not, what are the details of the unutilised amount and reasons therefor and action taken for utilisation of the amount?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI BALRAM SINGH YADAV): (a) The outlays for the Annual Plans are finiliscd by the Planning Commission in consultation with the State Governments for the state as a whole and no specific allocation of any amount is made to the districts.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Harmonised Commodity Classification System

2156. SHRI B. K. HAR1PRASAD: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a new system of harmonised commodity classification has been introduced recently;

(b) whether this system is based on the International Harmonious system developed by Customs Co-operation Federation, Brussels and whether any modifications have been incorported to suit Indian conditions;

(c) whether this new system has been found acceptable and workable by customs in relation to interpretation of the first scheme; and

(d) if not, what measures are being considered to rectify the lacuna in the new system?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (d) The Harmonised System of Classification for Export and Import Policy released recently is based on the System of Commodity Classification developed by the Customs Cooperation Council, Brussels and already in use by Revenue authorities since 1986. The classification has been extended to 8 & 10 digits to cover hems appearing in Trade Policy.

All concerned Departments, including Revenue Department, were consulted during the preparation and finalisation of the Harmonised System and it has been generally welcomed by Trade and Industry.

All the references seeking clarification/ modification in respect of individual entries are being attended to promptly.

सांसद सदस्य स्थानीय क्षेत्र विकास योजना के अंतर्गत स्कीमों की निष्पादन हेतु निर्धारित समय-सीमा

2157. **चौधरी हरमोहन सिंह** :

श्री कनक सिंह मोहन सिंह मंगरोला :

क्या योजना और कार्यक्रम कार्यान्वयन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगें कि:

(क) क्या संसद सदस्य निर्वाचन क्षेत्र विकास योजना के अंतर्गत संसद सदस्यों द्वारा अनुशंकित स्कीमों के निष्पादन के लिये कोई समय-सीमा निर्धारित की गई हैं;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा क्या हैं;

(ग) बिहार की विभिन्न जिलों में इन स्कीमों के निष्पादन में विलम्ब हो जाता हैं;

(घ) यदि हां, तो इस संबंध में क्या कदम उठाए गए हैं;